Detective Hunts in Vain for Despoiler of His Home. Who Took the Pet Rubber Plant.

Police Captain Reynolds, formerly in charge of the Brooklyn Detective Bureau and now stationed at the Fifth avenue police station, rushed in on Capt. Formosa early to-day without coat or

Capt. Reynolds was as pale as a late morning shadow. "My God, Jim, what's the matter?"

cried Capt. Formosa. Reynolds wrung his hands for about fifteen fares and then by a valiant effort whispered:

whispered:

"Gone!"

"Gone?" echoed Capt. Formosa.

"Stolen!" hissed Capt. Reynolds.

"Stolen?" murmured Capt. Formosa,

"and only married two years."

"Only two years?" gasped Reynolds.

collapsing on a stool. Suddenly he roused himself, and fire darted from his eyes.

"The general alarm, Dick!" he cried.

"Get your men out. My gracious, man, think of the drought. They may not water her."

Capt. Formosa blinked twenty times before ringing his gong.

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Reynolds's eyes shot plercing rays of scorn and he called out hoarsely: "Why, you should know. It's my favorite rubber plant. It got its thirteenth leaf on Tuesday."

The aiarm has now reached to fifty-two stations and the police will spare no effort to locate the shrub. It was stolen early last evening from the upper compartment of Capt. Reynolds's icebox. The thief also took a quarter of a pound of American cheese.

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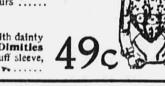
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